**CLAIM OR CLAIMS** 

- 1. A light for illuminating the interior of a pumpkin or the like comprising:
- (a) a hollow tubular support extending through a side wall of the pumpkin;
- (b) a first pressure plate attached to the support and engaging an inside wall of the pumpkin;
- (c) a second adjustable pressure plate attached to the support and engaging an outside wall of the pumpkin;
- (d) a light attached to an end of the hollow tubular support within the pumpkin; and
- (e) at least one electrical wire extending from the light within the pumpkin, through the hollow tubular support and extending beyond the support and attached to a source of electrical energy compatible with the light.
- 2. The light of claim 1 in which the tubular support comprises a threaded tube.
- 3. The light of claim 2 in which the second adjustable pressure plate comprises a washer and a nut threaded on the tube.
- 4. The light of claim 1 in which the light comprises a light socket and a light source mounted in the socket.
- 5. The light of claim 4 in which the first pressure plate is integral with the light socket.
- 6. The light of claim 1 in which the second adjustable pressure plate comprises a flexible washer.
- 7. The light of claim 6 in which the hollow tubular support comprises a threaded tube and further comprising a nut threaded on the tube and engaging the flexible washer.

- 8. The light of claim 1 comprising an electrical connector connected to the wire.
- 9. The light of claim 1 in which the first pressure plate comprises a flexible washer.
- 10. The light of claim 9 in which the flexible washer comprises a split flexible washer.
- 11. The light of claim 1 comprising an adjustable coupling disposed between the light and the end of the hollow tubular support.
- 12. A light for illuminating a jack-o-lantern from within, and powered from a power source external to the jack o lantern comprising:
- (a) a hollow light support substantially rigidly attached to a wall of the jack-o-lantern and extending there through;
  - (b) a light socket attached to the light support;
  - (c) a light bulb in the light socket; and
- (d) an electrical wire connected to the light socket and lead through the support from inside the jack-o-lantern to a power source outside the jack o lantern.
- 13. The light of claim 12 comprising first and second pressure plates on the support engaging inside and outside surfaces of the jack o lantern respectively.
  - 14. The light of claim 13 in which the pressure plates are flexible.
- 15. The light of claim 13 in which the light support comprises a threaded tube.
- 16. The light of claim 15 comprising at least one nut threaded on the tube for urging the pressure plates together to secure the light support to the jack o lantern.